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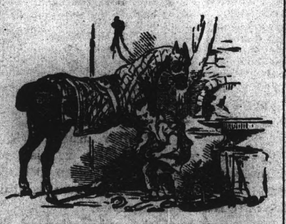
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THE TOP AND BOTTOM RACKET.

A Wisconsin Man in the Toils of Bunko Sharps.

[Sacramento Bee.]

"Why, how do you do; how did you leave all the folks in Wisconsin? I am awful glad to see some one from that State."

This cordial greeting, accompanied by a hearty shake of the hand, was tendered on Saturday last to a man named Bernard Keeler, who had just arrived from that State. Keeler was a middle-aged man, neatly dressed in store clothes, and was what the boys might playfully term a "Hoosier." He had heard of the glories of Northern California, that the climate was grand, the scenery beautiful, the girls handsome, and that gold could be picked up on the streets.

The man who so warmly welcomed him to the Capital city of the Golden West was a fine appearing fellow, large and straight, and attired in the hight of fashion. He would be taken for a good-natured, well-to-do merchant.

Keeler remarked to the stranger that he had never seen him before, but he was soon put at his ease when his companion mentioned the names of a number of prominent people in Wisconsin with whom he was acquainted. After a little more conversation about Wisconsin, Keeler was shown the sights of the city, and finally invited into a saloon for refreshments. The new acquaintance of Keeler carelessly tossed a $20 gold piece on the bar. Just as they had ordered their drinks, a stranger appeared and also put up a double X.

"Oh, take a drink with us, stanger," remarked the friend of Keeler; "there's no need of the barkeeper changing two twenties."

"No, I thank you," said the newcomer, "I never like to intrude when gentlemen are drinking."

"You are not intruding, at all," said the man who resembled a merchant. "But I'll make you a proposition. Suppose we shake dice to see who pays for the three of us?"

"All right. Barkeep, pass the ivories."

The dice box was set out and the two who had haggled over the drink turned out the little bone blocks. The newcomer paid for the drinks. They had another shake, and the same individual lost.

He was evidently not greatly discouraged over this defeat, for in a jocular way he challenged the victor to have a little "rattle" for $20 a side. The banter was accepted. Luck appeared to be against him, for he had lost the golden twenty, but they concluded to go again.

"I have a new style of shaking," he said, "and I propose we try it. It is called top and bottom—you bet on the upper side of the dice, and I'll take the lower."

The proposition was taken and Keeler's friend won $20. On the next shake, however, he lost again, and again.

"Why that's funny," he said, turning to Keeler, "I know I can beat that game, but I haven't any more change with me. Please let me have $20, will you? I'll hand it back presently."

Keeler foolishly loaned the money, and it was lost. Twice more he loaned a $20-piece, and then yielded up $3, declaring it was all he had with him. The winner pocketed the money and walked away. The looser—the man who had made himself so friendly with Keeler—arranged to meet the man from Wisconsin at a certain hour in the evening and make good the loan. Of course he failed to do so.

Keeler finally realized that he had been in the hands of bunko sharps and that they had "played him for a rank sucker." He informed Chief Dillman of the theft, but that individual failed to do anything, although it is pretty well understood about the city that he could run the scoundrels down if he only had an inclination to do so. Keeler became disgusted with California and departed for his home in Wisconsin, on Tuesday night's train.

A Great Battle.

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Working for Glory.

[Lower Lake Press.]

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A little handbook recently published treats on what to do in cases of sprains and other accidents. St. Jacobs Oil should at once be applied. It is the greatest pain cure on earth, and costs only fifty cents a bottle.

Took Her at Her Word.

"What kind of a man is Mr. Brown?" inquired a K street girl of an Ebbit House belle.

"Oh," was the indifferent reply, 'he'll do; but he has such queer notions of right and wrong.'

'In what way? I always thought he was a man of excellent ideas in that regard. Please explain, won't you?"

'Why, he wanted to kiss me the other evening, and I told him it was wrong for him to do.

'Well?' said the other, inquiringly.

'Well, he believed me.'

His Curiosity Saved His Life.

[Chester News.]

A countryman last night at a prominent hotel blew out the gas, but not before he had noticed a little green tag suspended from the burner. He prepared for slumber but his curiosity got the better of him and he lit the gas to read the inscription. It was 'Do not blow out the gas or it will cause immediate death.' There was an extra clause in the countryman's prayer blessing the creation of curiosity.

There are now on the pension roll of the war of 1812 only 2945 surviving pensioners, while there are 17,212 surviving widows of pensioners. What a fearful lot of bigamists the soldiers of 1812 must have been.

A capitalist is very aptly defined as a laboring man who has learned to live on less than he earns.

SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE.

H. H. GRANICE - - - - - - - - - - - - EDITOR

SONOMA, MARCH 19, 1887.

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The author's real name must accompany all communications, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith. This rule will not be deviated from.

THE DONAHUE EXTENSION.

Col. J. M. Donahue, with a corps of engineers, has been busy the past week surveying the approaches to the proposed draw-bridge across Petaluma Creek, on the line of the broad-gauge route between Novato and Napa Junction. The contract for the construction of the road will be let next Monday and work will commence five days thereafter if the right of way can be secured from two parties on the proposed line, who are inclined to be unreasonable in their demands. There can be no further doubt about the road being constructed this season. It is only a question of days when operations will commence. If Colonel Donahue, who is carrying out this enterprise independent of the estate of his late farther, succeeds in securing the right of way referred to before Monday, and we have every reason to believe he will be successful, work on the road will be commenced next Saturday.

The much-talked-of railroad meeting at Santa Rosa took place last Wednesday, and resulted in nothing but talk. An effort was made to induce Orr's man "Friday," contractor Waltz, to execute a bond to indemnify the people against further delay, but this he refused to do, calmly informing the meeting that if he so desired he could tie up the road so that it could not be built for years. Then it dawned on the Santa Rosaians that they were practically at the mercy of the railroad triumvirate composed of Orr, Walker and Waltz, in so far as the Santa Rosa and Benicia Central Railroad is concerned, and they were compelled to adjourn the meeting barren of results. It is true they gave Waltz just one week to execute a bond. But as they are not in the position to dictate supposing he refuses, what are they going to do about it?

We hope that people of Glen Ellen and our portion of the valley will act on our suggestion and see to the forming of a committee to obtain exhibits for the coming Mechanics' Fair. P. D. F. Ewell has promised many varieties of fruits, Mrs. Carriger will send a citrus exhibit, and H. Appleton will join in. From Glen Ellen we will get every possible assistance, but what are we going to do ourselves?

Stockton and Sacramento have been taken in and done for by a smooth-tounged sharper, who roped in some of the most respectable and gullible citizens of those cities to the extent of $300, by the sale of bogus jewelry.

A new headline has come into general use in nearly all interior exchanges. It is "Booming the county," and its frequent repetition shows how general is the awakneing of public expectation throughout California.—Alta.

A woman in Salt Lake City, on the night of March 13th, bore three sons to her husband. Their aggregate weight was over twenty pounds. Two were alive but one was dead when born.

A curious fact connected with the recent heavy storm at Templeton, San Louis Obispo county, was the subsidence of the water in nearly all the wells in town.

An unsuccessful attempt was made to assassinate the Czar of Russia by means of a dynamite bomb, last Sunday in St. Petersburg.

John E. Stites, the ex-carman, charged with being the author of the recent dynamite explosions in San Francisco, has been convicted.

Charles Lux of the firm of Miller & Lux, the cattle kings of the San Joaquin, died in San Francisco, last Tuesday morning.

Governor Stevenson, of Nevada, has vetoed the State Lottery bill passed by the State Legistature.

WINE AND VINE NOTES.

The San Jose *Times* recently had an article on wine grapes in which it stated that Mr. McIntyre of Rutherford, Napa Co., had in an interview informed the credulous newspaper man that W. T. Coleman & Co. had offered $1 per gallon for Sauterne wines of last vintage. Messrs. Coleman & Co. do not buy wines, so far as we are aware, but handle them on commission. We do not think that any such price for '86 Sauternes has been offered and we do know that the firm in question could have bought several thousand gallons of true Sauterne at probably less than half the price mentioned. We do not think that 10,000 gallons of true Sauterne was made in the State last vintage. It is evident that many of the so-called wine experts do not know what Sauterne means.

The most famous of all the famed Sauterne wines comes from Chateau Yquem and is made from two varieties of vines, the Semillon and the Sauvignon blanc, in the proportion of four-fifths of the former to one-fifth of the latter. The Sauvignon blanc must not be mistaken for the so-called Sauvignon verte, so extensively grown in Napa and Santa Clara counties, as it in no way resembles that somewhat doubtful vine. The chances are that not one gallon of pure Sauterne fit for bottling has yet been put on the market. A blend of the Sauvignon verte and a vine here named as Chalosse has hitherto represented this wine.

While on the wine question we may say the same as above about *true Clarets* and Burgundies. The most utter nonsense has been talked and written regarding them when in reality they are not represented amongst our wines. The Zinfandel was never a claret, though when doctored it may have masqueraded as such, it simply being a Hungarian red wine. The Charbono has proved an utter abomination and whole cellars of it go begging at nominal prices. The Grosser Blauer has only one quality—color. The Mission is fortunately a thing of the past and the Malvasia is condemned, and from these, heretofore, have our alleged Clarets been made. The nearest approach to the genuine article was made from Malbec in Santa Clara Co. The Grenache and Trousseau are not Claret vines. Clarets as known in the European wine markets are the red wines from the Bordeaux district and are mainly made from the Cabernet Sauvignon, the Franc Cabernet, the Merlot and the Malbec with a sprinkling of the Verdots and the Crochinet Noir. These vines have lately been introduced into this State and are being largely propogated at Glen Ellen, on Mr. Estee's vineyard near Napa and various vineyards at Oakville, Rutherford and St. Helena and at Livermore. In Santa Clara, Los Angles and Santa Cruz these claret vines have, this season, been extensively planted. We may here state that the so-called Cabernet of San Jose is not true to name, but is the Malbec. Now as regards Burgundies. True Burgundy is chiefly made from the Franc Pinot (Norien) and the Petite Gamai, the most renowned of all brands being that of Clos de Vorgeot. With us any wine too heavy to be *called* a *Claret* was named Burgundy, though even at present but comparatively few true Pinots are to be found in bearing in this State. The Chauche noir, a so-called Pinot of the Loire, has largely figured in our Burgundies and though yielding a truly excellent wine it cannot be compared with that of the Franc Pinot. We may add that in some of the second rate Burgundy vineyards the Cæsar has lately been used with success, giving a good wine and bearing heavily. So far as we know, with us it is only to be found in the Los Guilucos Valley and at Glen Ellen.

In his interview with the San Jose *Times* Mr McIntyre asserted that "ordinary Zinfandel is for sale at from fifteen to twenty-five cents per gallon." We do smile. It is for sale but is not bought at the latter price and we know many cellars of more than ordinary Zinfandel that would willingly be sold for 20c.

Good Results in Every Case.

D. A. Bradford, wholesale paper dealer of Chattanooga, Tenn., writes; that he was seriously afflicted with a severe cold that settled on his lungs, had tried many remedies without benefit. Being induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, did so and was entirely cured by use of a few bottles. Since which time he has used it in his family for all Coughs and Colds with best results. This is the experience of thousands whose lives have been saved by this Wonderful Discovery. Trial bottles free at Wegner's Drug Store. 6

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Tuesday, March 8th.

The Board reconvened pursuant to adjournment at 9 A. M. this date, all members present; Supervisor O'Hara in the chair. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

On motion of Mr. Davis, it was decided that the grading and repairing of the Maycamas canyon road shall be done by contract.

Squire Jno. Price addressed the Board at some length upon the subject of a new road in Mendocino township. Mr. Price's offer to build the road was accepted, and he was ordered to construct said road in a manner as may be designated by the Board, and upon a good and sufficient deed being furnished the county, a warrant in the sum of $300 will be drawn in his favor.

On motion of Mr. Coulter, E. A. Howe was appointed Poundmaster of Santa Rosa Pound district in pursuance with a petition by the citizens of that district.

A petition for the formation of a new school district to be known as Goodman district, from the districts of Wallace, Tarwater, Alpine and Porter Creek was granted.

On motion of Mr. Connolly, the deed for the piece of road in Bodega township, known as Meeker's Hill road, was ordered received, recorded and placed on file, and said road was declared a public highway.

The Board then adjourned until 1 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Board reconvened at 1 P. M., all members present.

A petition was read from the citizens of Mendocino township, praying for the grading of Miller Hill on Dry creek road, which was on motion of Mr. Davis, received and placed on file, and the further consideration of the same was postponed, to be taken up at the pleasure of the Board.

This being the hour (1 o'clock) set for the reception of bids for the construction of the Rincon Hill and Brown's Valley road, the Clerk announced that bids had been received from J. A. Farmer and R. Johnson. Another special order being set for the same hour, Mr. Coulter moved that the opening of the bids be temporarily postponed. So ordered.

The Board then took up the consideration of a petition praying for the abandonment of the May's Canyon road, and after some discussion the petition was denied.

Bids for the construction of the Rincon Hill and Brown's Valley road were then read. Richard Johnson's bid for the construction of the first section of the road was accepted and the contract was awarded thereon and the other bids were rejected.

On motion of Mr. Allen the following reports were received and placed on file:

COUNTY PHYSICIAN'S REPORT.

HOSPITAL.

No. patients in Hospital, February 1st	37
No. patients in Hospital, February 28th	39
No. patients admitted	11
No. patients discharged	9
No. patients died	0
Average No patients for each day in month	34.79
Whole No. of days for month	974

COUNTY FARM.

No. persons on County Farm, February 1st	34
Number Feb. 28th	33
No. persons admitted	2
No. persons discharged	3
No. persons died	0
Average number for each day in month	34.07
Whole number of days for each month	954

RECAPITULATION.

Total No. in Hospital and Farm, Feb. 1st	71
Total No. in Hospital and Farm, Feb. 28th	72
Average No. for each day in month	68.86
Whole No. of days for month	1926

Remarks—No money received during the month.

R. P. SMITH, Jr., County Physician

JAILOR'S REPORT.

Inmates in County Jail, Feb. 5th	19
Inmates received during month	28
Inmates discharged	28
Inmates on hand March 5th	19

LOUIS BRETTENBACH, Jailor.

On motion of Mr. Allen, the indigent list was allowed, with the following apportionments: Santa Rosa, $130 50; Petaluma, $87 25; Healdsburg, $61 50; Sonoma, $30; Cloverdale, $21; Bloomfield, $20; Windsor, Valley Ford, Forestville, Bodega, Sebastopol and Salt Point, $10 each; Geyserville and Ingrams, $5 each.

The bills were then taken up and the following allowed:

W. F. Shattuck	$ 25 00	Sonoma "Democrat"	75 60
Healdsburg "Enterprise"	47 50	Judson & Wright	19 25
W. M. Jones	50 00	Joseph A. Cowen	13 00
Petaluma "Argus"	65 40	George A. Tupper	51 00
Sunset Tel. Co.	8 90	C. D. Frazee	1 60
Lee Bros. & Co.	1 00	George Hood	2 00
Dr. C. A. Davis	5 00	Baxter & Green	3 75
Dr. J. B. Pressley	5 00	Kopf & Muller	1 10
Santa Rosa Gas Co.	99 35	Philip Cowen	27 15
W. E. Healey	4 50	H. L. Barnes & Co.	25 25
E. P. Colgan	224 00	Taylor & Dunbar	8 00
E. P. Colgan	56 80	J. A. Farmer	11 38
Santa Rosa "Republican"	38 00	George F. King	1 50
E. P. Colgan	21 90	J. F. Mulgrew	6 20
A. P. Moore	10 00	Roberer, Kinhorn & Co.	3 00
W. H. Hassett	50 00	W. H. Underhill	3 00
Julio Carillo	61 00		

On motion of Mr. Connolly the Board then adjourned until Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

Wednesday, March 9th.

The Board reconvened pursuant to adjournment at 9 A. M., all members present; Chairman O'Hara presiding. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

On motion of Mr. Connolly, the bill of Road Overseer K. P. Boilean, of Ocean road district, in the sum of $148, was allowed.

The consideration of bills was resumed, and the following were allowed:

L. J. Casey	$ 25	Renton Coal Co.	65 45
Piggott & Shaw	1 80	W. W. Skaggs	25 00
F. W. Hesse	5 80		

George A. Thornton, who had been appointed by the Board to compile a financial statement of the county, embracing the transactions of the years 1884-5-6, having completed the same, submitted the manuscript to the Board, with an accompanying bill in the sum of $500. No action was taken beyond a cursory examination of the work in the abstract which called forth favorable comments commensurate with the careful labor expended in its complication.

A recess was then taken until 1 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Board reconvened at 1 P. M., all members present same as at morning session.

The whole afternoon was taken up in wrangling over a proposed change of road in Analy township, in which Attorneys A. B. Ware, T. J. Geary, J. A. Barham and Mr. McGee took part, the result being that the further consideration of the matter was postponed until Thursday.

On motion of Mr. Allen, the Board then adjourned until Thursday morning at 9 o'clock for the purpose of visiting the County Farm.

Thursday, March 10th.

The Board met this date pursuant to adjournment at 9 o'clock A. M., all members present; Supervisor O'Hara presiding. The minutes of the preceding day were read and approved.

Richard Johnson, contractor for the first section of the Rincon Hill and Brown's Valley road, having prepared the proper contract, Mr. Coulter moved that the Chairman be authorized to execute said contract on behalf of the Board, and the accompanying bond be approved and placed on file. So ordered.

The further consideration of the matter of change of road in Analy township over the lands of Ragle and Brown, non-consenting land owners, having been continued to this hour (10 o'clock) Mr. Allen introduced a motion to dismiss all proceedings in the case as the petition did not conform to the requirments of the law, etc. So ordered.

On motion of Mr. Coulter, recess was taken until 1 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Board reconvened at 1 P. M., all members present same as at morning session.

In the matter of the proposed change in the Healdsburg and Guerneville road, from Water's gate to the quicksilver mine, Mr. Davis moved that the further consideration of the matter be postponed until Wednesday April 6th, as some of the residents along the proposed change of road have not yet given their written consent thereto. This motion was made for the purpose of enabling those interested in the proposed change of road to secure the written consents required. So ordered.

E. A. Howe of Fulton, who had been appointed Poundmaster of Santa Rosa pound district, appeared before the Board and made known his intention of declining the appointment unless Ordinance No. 3, fixing the rules of pound districts, be changed in many respects. No action was taken.

The consideration of bills was resumed and the following allowed:

W. C. Good & Co.	$190 91	Charles Williams	12 00
W. H. Woodson	4 60	R. A. Mason	10 00
W. H. Hedges	37 50	W. B. Coy	2 00
T. W. Tighe	21 40	S. S. Mason	2 00
Preston K. Davis	22 00	Lewis Scott	9 00
G. W. Sparks	23 30	Thomas Caukwell	2 00
J. Binnie	62 35	J. G. Caldwell	10 00
E. Gardner	12 00	John Hizon	9 00
J. E. Fenno	3 00	Miss L. Howard	2 00
John Brown	30 00	John Colman	5 00
B. T. Cockrill	9 00	F. D. Amen	8 00
M. Whallen	27 00	Alvin Finley	9 00
Dr. R. P. Smith	119 65	L. D. Gale	1 00
Martin Miller	59 00	H. W. Smith	8 00
Cornelius Prince	30 65	Charles E. Russell	8 00
Gideon Pott	20 00	M. Carsin	8 00
Sarah Mills	30 95	Henry Mathews	8 00
C. W. Hawkins	33 35	J. G. Caldwell	37 00
J. H. Glen	10 40	T. B. Scott	2 00
Ludwig & Kronke	19 00	Frank Burns	1 00
C. H. Burger	44 00	N. Bacigalupi	14 72
J. M. Rooney	12 90	Noonan & Towey	51 60
Taylor & Dunbar	27 13	C. D. Frazee	16 40
E. D. Carter	36 25	E. D. Carter	60 80
Baxter & Green	4 50	S. Buckmaster	20 00
Kopf & Muller	5 00	J. B. Millington	17 47
Baker & Ro s	16 00	George F. King	59 76
G. A. Thornton	500 00	C. B. Williams	416 03
F. H. Yordi	2 60	J. B. Charles	18 70

The Board adjourned until Friday morning at 9 o'clock.

Friday, March 11th.

The Board reconvened at 9 A. M. this date, all members present; Chairman O'Hara presiding. The minutes of the preceding day were read and approved.

In the matter of the publication of the financial report of the county for the years 1884-5-6, Mr. Allen moved that the Clerk advertise for bids for the publication of said report in accordance with the formulated work on file in his office, said publication to be in the same general form of former reports. Said bids to be received up to 1 o'clock P. M., April 4, 1887.

Mr. Connolly moved as a substitute that, inasmuch as the Board had made the "Sonoma Democrat" the official newspaper of the county, said financial report be awarded to said paper for publication, subject to the following conditions: First—That no more shall be charged for said work than has been charged for similar work heretofore; that is, in proportion to the work to be done. Second—That said work be done under the direct supervision of the Clerk.

Messrs. Allen and Coulter objected to awarding the contract arbitrarily.

Mr. Connolly defended his substitute by saying that the report was an official statement of the financial transactions of the county, and should be published by the official organ, to-wit: the "Sonoma Democrat."

Messrs. Davis and O'Hara coincided with Mr. Connolly's ideas on the subject, and the vote on the substitute resulted: Ayes—Connolly, Davis, O'Hara. Noes—Allen Coulter. The substitute was adopted and thus another fat plum goes to the "Democrat."

Supervisor Davis was appointed a committee of one to visit the Russian River bridge at Healdsburg in company with a competent bridge builder, and ascertain if said bridge is in as dangerous a condition as reported and if so to make temporary repairs and report in detail at the next session of the Board what repairs are necessary to put said bridge in a secure condition.

The reports of the Auditor and Treasurer were received and placed on file, from which the following is taken:

COUNTY AUDITOR'S REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

Amount on hand	$193,437 37
T. C. Bishop, fines	21 00
A. P. Moore, license	15 00
E. L. Saxton, location	2 25
E. P. Colgan, delinquent poll taxes	40 00
State appropriations of taxes	48,492 38
W. Garrison, road poll taxes	168 30
E. P. Colgan, delinquent taxes	2,821 85
J. F. Mulgrew, fees of office	266 90
E. P. Colgan, fees of office	98 75
A. P. Moore, fees of office	439 15
Total	$245,803 96

DISBURSEMENTS.

By warrants paid General Fund	5,020 05
School Fund	$16,943 39
Road Fund	2,411 66
Indigent Fund	4,346 41
Salary Fund	2,862 46
Total	$ 30,683 97

TREASURER'S REPORT.

RECAPITULATION.

General Fund	$58,948 85
State Fund	82 68
School Fund Apportionment	74,034 87
School Fund	2,072 90
Indigent Fund	8,164 54
Road Fund Apportionment	41,848 56
Unapportioned Fund	5,405 66
Bridge Fund	14
Teachers' Institute Fund	15 20
Swamp and Overflowed Land Fund	6,207 49
Bond Fund	18,974 26
Rebate Fund	58 77
Revolving Fund	1,289 17
Salary Fund	4,146 93
General Road Fund	3,725 96
Total	$215,120 00

INDEBTEDNESS OF SONOMA COUNTY.

Amount of Sonoma county bonds outstanding at 4.25 per cent	$283,000 00

Referring to the suit of L. Pedrotti vs. the Board of Supervisors of Sonoma county, it was moved and carried that D. C. Allen, Thomas Rutledge, Sr., and T. J. Geary be, and they are hereby requested to institute proceedings for the recovery of such sum as may be due the county from said suit.

The Board then adjourned until Monday, April 4, at 10:30 A. M.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

UNION HOTEL.

J Nickolas	S F	A McAuland	New York
J H Fisher & wf	do	J E Cash	Portland, Oreg.
T H Chandler	do	G Emerson	Alameda
J Moles	do	J Graham	do
C Ballenine	do	C E Alaford	Georgetown
S Feres	do	S Stump & brother	Bodega
Miss A Smith	do	M Robinson	Napa
Miss J Chaney	do	G G Sanborn & wf	St Paul
J Ulrich	do	Miss Annie Sanborn	do
J Campbell	do	J Sanborn	do
Wm Mc Crindle	do	J A Rue	Santa Rosa
G H Hewitt	do	H Freche	do
L Lesser	do	G W Rodebaver	Petaluma
Capt Kruse	Bremen		

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CZAR	55
DR. PRICE'S	50
SNOW FLAKE (Groff's)	45
LEWIS'	40
PEARL (Andrews & Co.)	35
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The traveling public are invited to call at the Union Hotel. *

Plain and fine stationery at the Postoffice Stationery Store. +

The Occidental Hotel is fast becoming a popular resort. +

Tickets for the Plaza Fund benefit are going off like hot cakes.

At the Union Hotel no effort will be spared to please the guests. *

The best of accommodations at the Union Hotel. *

Fresh confectionery at the Postoffice Stationery Store. *

Go to the Occidental Hotel if you want good accommodations. +

Weyl's Cash Grocery Store is selling groceries at the very lowest rates. Call and be convinced. +

The traveling public praise the Occidental Hotel, R. D. Moore proprietor. +

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is just want you want for a spring medicine—superior to all.

S. Schocken has been a heavy shipper of basalt blocks to the city the past week.

Wm. Trudgen of this place will open a block quarry at Agua Caliente in a short time.

The first linen duster of the season enveloped the manly form of our City Marshal this week.

The Mexican War Veterans and the Pioneers are talking of holding their next annual re-union in Sonoma.

Thin hair may be thickened, weak hair strengthened, and the color restored to gray hair, by using Ayer's Hair Viger.

Geo. Engler shipped 1050 gallons of wine to San Francisco Tuesday, consigned to C. Schilling & Co.

Stationery and school supplies are sold cheaper at the Postoffice Stationery Store than anywhere else in town. *

The Occidental Hotel, under the management of Mr. R. D. Moore and his estimable wife, is growing in popularity every day. +

The Entre Nous Social Club has decided to hold its first invitation social on the 22nd of next month instead of the 15th.

Thieves entered the back yard of Mr. Martin Muldry on Monday night and stole a large quantity of [illegible] from the clothes line.

Farmers desiring groceries and having the cash to pay for the same, can lay in a supply at Weyl's Cash Grocery as cheap as if purchased in the city. Come and be convinced*

The weather has been beautiful the past week. The atmosphere has been warm and balmy, the thermometer registering between 75 and 80 degrees.

For the best sewing machine in the market get the Light Running Domestic. It is the star that leads them all. R. H. Long, Petaluma. A. F. Pauli & Co., Agents, Sonoma.

Dr. F. A. Pauli, who died in this place last week, was a member of the Order of Chosen Friends, and although having paid into the order less than $200, since becoming a member in 1883, his widow will receive $2,000 out of the Relief Fund.

The recent Legislature reduced the salary of Sheriff of this county from $7200 to $6500. The salaries of Recorder and District Attorney were also cut down, the latter from $3500 to $3000 and the former from $5000 to $4500. The reduction does apply to the present officials.

The Agua Caliente Springs Hotel, having been enlarged and refurnished is now one of the most elegant and attractive summer and winter resorts on the coast. Visitors will find the house supplied with every modern convenience, and no pains will be spared to make their stay pleasant and comfortable. Prices to correspond with the dull times. *

The City Trustees have been indefatigable the past two weeks in their efforts to beautify the Plaza. Particularly may this be said of Trustee Lawrence, who has personally supervised the planting of trees and shrubs, laying out walks, etc. The efforts of the City Fathers in this direction is commendable and is all the more appreciated when it is taken into consideration that they receive no compensation whatever from the city for their services.

$500 to $50,000—Bargains in orchards and vineyards, stock and grain ranches in every county in the State. Send stamp for catalogue. We can find quick sale for your farm, large or small, if it is cheap and you will send us full description. If you want to buy, tell us what you want and we can suit you. Gaman & Lyon, 339 Kearny street, San Francisco. *

Dr. H. H. Davis was thrown from his buggy yesterday morning at the the western end of Napa street. His horse shied at some object in the road, and the sudden lurch threw him from his seat. The doctor fortunately escaped serious injury, being but slightly scratched about the face. The horse and buggy were overhauled a short distance from town none the worse for the adventure.

Home Again.

Jas. McDonnell, Jr., Assemblyman from this district, returned home from the State Capital Monday evening. Mr. McDonnell has made a most excellent representative so far as the interests of Sonoma county are concerned. It was due in a great measure to his efforts and the member from Napa, Mr. Coombs, that the Pure Wine bill has become a law—a law which will prove of vast advantage to the winemakers of Sonoma as it will enable our wines to be put on the market in their native purity. He also introduced and secured the passage of an amendment to the game law, which gives each county in the State the power to regulate its own game law. This will enable us to exterminate that troublesome and thieving bird, the quail. He also succeeded in having the appropriation for the Petaluma (Fourth District) Agricultural Society raised from $1500 to $2500 a year. Taking his course in the Assembly as a whole he has labored faithfully and well for the interests of the many as against the few, and in speaking of his course is the Assembly his constituents may truthfully say: "Well done, thou good and faithful servant."

Olive Culture.

Being encouraged by the success of Col. Hooper in the cultivation of the olive, Mr. E. P. Thomson, whose place is situated between Sonoma and Glen Ellen, is engaged in planting out a large number of olive trees. Five hundred have already been set out and one thousand more will be planted this month. That the olive will grow and thrive as luxuriously in Sonoma Valley as on the hilly slopes of sunny Italy does not admit of a doubt. Col. Hooper has proven this by practical experiments and has erected on his place expensive machinery for the manufacture of the olives into oil. Experts have pronounced this oil the equal of the genuine imported article—a very rare thing to be found in these days of adulterations.

To the Point.

This is pointed and true: "It takes live men to make a live town. Dead men are only fit to inhabit cemeteries. If they are decently dead, dead all over, we tenderly lay them away to sleep in the tomb; but if they are dead to all enterprise outside of the narrow plane of their own selfish interests, and yet persist in walking around, moving their dry bones and calloused hearts and consciences where real business is wont to throb and push with vigor, they are only like drone bees, in the way until they are stung to death and dragged outside the hive of legitimate industry. Twenty real live men are worth more to the town and the public generally than a round thousand of useless material which lies around like rubbish in a rising stream that is aching and foaming to turn mills and factories. Yes, live men bless and dead men curse a town. The advertising columns of a newspaper generally show who live men are, especially those in business."

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Mr. F. Duhring made his parents a flying visit last Sunday.

Miss Belle Carter is visiting her aunt, Mrs. M. D. Eschbach.

Miss Grace Churchill came up from the city last Saturday to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs Geo. Spencer.

Chas. T. Dennis, Deputy Grand Councilor of the Order of Chosen Friends of the State of California, paid this office a pleasant visit last Sunday.

The ladies of the Methodist Church held one of their agreeable socials at the residence of Mrs. Wm. Brown on Friday evening of last week. Some sixty ladies and gentlemen were present and everything passed off very pleasantly.

Mr. and Mrs. J B. Badger of Agua Caliente went to San Francisco last Wednesday morning. Mr. Badger is a Mexican War Veteran from away back having taken part in most of the battles in that memorable conflict. The object of his visit to the city was to prove up his claims to a pension under the Mexican War Pension bill which recently became a law.

Go to the Union Hotel. One of the best north of San Francisco. This house is under the management of Henry Raschen, and his knowledge of what is best calculated to secure the comfort and well being of his guests is visible in the orderly conduct of its affairs. +

Enjoy Life.

What a truly beautiful world we live in! Nature gives us grandeur of mountains, glens and oceans, and thousands of means of enjoyment. We can desire no better when in perfect health; but how often do the majority of people feel like giving up disheartened, discouraged and worn out with disease, when there is no occasion for this feeling, as every sufferer can easily obtain satisfactory proof, that GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER, will make them as free from disease, as when born. Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint are the direct causes of seventy-five per cent. of such maladies as Biliousness Indigestion, Sick Headache, Costiveness, Nervous Prostration, Dizziness of the Head, Palpitation of the Heart, and other distressing symptoms. Three doses of AUGUST FLOWER will prove its wonderful effect. Sample bottles, 10 cents, Try it. 1

"SEBASTOPOL TAKEN AT LAST. POP GOES THE WEAZEL."

An Orr-ful blow-out—a sort of general Waltz and Walk'er around affair, as it were—was held at Sebastopol, a small hamlet in this county, last Monday evening, the occasion being the advent into that town of President Walker, Director Orr and Contractor Waltz of the Santa Rosa and Benicia Central Railroad Company, so-called. It is evident that Orr, desparing of successfully working his railroad scheme in Santa Rosa and Sonoma, has changed his base of operations to Sepastopol. The reception of Orr and his party by the Sebastopol people amounted almost to an ovation—bonfires burned, anvils boomed and general rejoicing prevailed.

And the people of Sebastopol "hoorayed" and appeared happy.

About eight o'clock a railroad meeting was called to order at Janssen's Hall by John Walker, who introduced J. P. Gannon as the first speaker. That gentleman had not spoken a dozen words before it was apparent that the meeting was anti-Santa Rosa to the core. The speaker referred to the people of that city as being "hoggish," and singling out Mark L. McDonald as a special object of attack he vented his spleen on him to his heart's content. He then sat down.

And the people of Sebastopol applauded and looked happy.

W. H. Orr then came up smiling, none the worse for the "black eye" given him by the *Examiner*, a couple of weeks ago. He denounced that journal and asserted that the attack made on him in its columns was instigated by Santa Rosa parties. He then pitched into Col. McDonald and referred to his railroad record in caustic terms. Warming up to his work he reached for Vice-President J. B. Rue's ear and planted a "sockdolliger" under the eaves of that organ, almost knocking that gentleman out by designating him as the "stool-pigeon" of Col. McDonald. Becoming somewhat winded and with a closing snort, Mr. Orr announced in braggadocio style that he was going to stay with the railroad until the first rail was laid in Sebastopol and the last one in Benicia.

And the people of Sebastopol listened, took it all in and seemed to be happy.

Col. Waltz, the man who is to construct the railroad, then waltzed up before the admiring throng. The Colonel was very confidential and voluable. He told of the cold, cold, blizzard-like reception he received from those dreadful, unsympathetic Santa Rosa people, and contrasted it with the warm, tropical-like embrace accorded him by the loving Sebastopolians. He came "old smoothy" on it and oily gammon flowed from his lips in tuneful cadence. He flattered his hearers in well-chosen words and promised them a railroad. He then retired and the meeting adjourned.

And the good people of Sebastopol rent the air with three cheers for Orr, after which the floor was cleared and the evening's blow-out terminated with a dance.

The Sebastopolians then wended their way homeward to wait for the railroad and *were* happy.

One of the Donner Party.

The old man who peddles clams in Santa Rosa every week is one of the few survivors of the Donner party, whose tragic fate in the Sierra Nevada mountains forty years ago is still a theme for story and verse in California history. His name is John Baptiste Truvibido. He is the son of an old French Canadian voyaguer and trapper in the employ of the American Fur Company, and among his companions were the famous "mountain men," Bill Sublette, Jim Bridger, Fitzpatrick, Joe Walker and Goodall. He was killed by Pawnee Indians at the crossing of the Arkansas river on the route from St. Louis to Santa Fe, when his son John Baptiste, was eight years of age. The boy followed the calling of his father and became a trapper. In this employment he was at Fort Bridger the time the Donner party, under Captain George Donner, were on their way to California. He joined the expedition and endured all the privations, hardships and horror of the party, and was saved from death only by his greater powers of endurance. For many days the Donner children and some of the women of the unfortunate party were in Truvibido's charge, and he faithfully remained until the rescuing parties came to lead them to safety. James M. Hudspeth and Captain McChristian, the Bear Flag veteran—both noted pioneers of Sonoma—were of the party to the rescue. Truvibido came with them to Sonoma and he entered the employ of the noted pioneer surveyor, Jasper O'Farrel. In a few years he took up his home on Tomales Bay and there he still abides.—*Santa Rosa Republican.*

COUNTY ITEMS.

Russian River Valley has produced a cabbage which weighs 22 pounds.

Four cars were totally wrecked by the night freight train of the S. F. & N. P. R. R. jumping the track near Petaluma last Sunday morning. The employees escaped uninjured.

Charles Kunst, a resident of Sulphur Springs writes to the Cloverdale "Reveille" that within the last fourteen days he has gathered from nineteen hens of the Plymouth Rock variety 139 eggs.

S. L. Butler, says the Santa Rosa "Democrat," the defendant in a suit on a note for $50, given by himself jointly with J. B. Vance, has settled the judgment for that amount and the costs in the suit amounting to $300.

Incendaries attempted to burn down a part of Chinatown in Petaluma at an early hour Thursday morning. The Chinese gave the alarm however, before the flames had made much headway and they were speedily extinguished.

J. Wagner of Santa Rosa has been committed to the Napa Insane Asylum. For a number of years he edited and published in that city the "Sonoma County Journal," a German newspaper, but his health breaking down he was compelled to suspend its publication. This, together with his physical sufferings, is supposed to have caused his insanity.

Price Brown of Yulupa Valley, while hunting, Sunday, killed one of the largest bald eagles ever seen in this part of the country. The bird measured 78½ inches from tip to tip, and its talons when open measured 7½ inches. An eagle of equal size was in company with this one, but Mr. Brown being armed with a rifle, was only able to secure the one. The bird was capable of carrying off a large child.—Santa Rosa Republican.

NEW INSECT PESTS.

Danger of their Introduction from Japan and China.

The following letter has been written to the *California Patron* by Inspector of Fruit Pests, W. G. Klee: "During the last month it has been evident to my mind that we now stand considerable danger of importing new scale insects into this State from Japan and China, no less than two kinds of such insects having been found on oranges brought from Japan. In the case of a large shipment of orange trees sent from Japan I discovered a trace of a red orange scale, probably *Aspidiotus Aurantii*, and had the whole lot of trees disinfected. Before I learnt of the existence of this shipment, however, trees had been sold, which thus may scatter infection. A quarantine guardian was appointed by me to look after the infected shipments, nevertheless in many cases no information may reach us. The other day an orange from Japan, purchased in the California Market, was found to be infested with the oyster-shell scale, *Mytilaspis Citricola* a species *not known* to be in this State, but having proved very dangerous in Florida. Trees imported from abroad should be thoroughly scrutinized, and if anything the least suspicious is seen on them the specimen should be forwarded, carefully wrapped, to this office. In case of importers, it is their duty to notify this office as soon as shipments arrive. As a matter of fact, it is an impossibility for one or two men to prevent the introduction of injurious insects without the closest co-operation with the persons representing the fruit interests. The establishment of local horticultural societies is an immense help in the matter, as they not only help this office in pointing out infected stock but members may individually agitate the matter and educate public opinion to the the necessity of the greatest care being taken to suppress all kinds of insect pests. For every new pest we receive from abroad we think we have received the worst, and that there are not any more to come. No greater mistake. There are many very dangerous insects we might get yet. Let us all guard against these, and not permit anything suspicious to go unnoticed."

Beware of Scrofula

Scrofula is probably more general than any other disease. It is insidious in character, and manifests itself in running sores, pustular eruptions, boils, swellings, enlarged joints, abscesses, sore eyes, etc. Hood's Sarsaparilla expels all trace of scrofula from the blood, leaving it pure, enriched, and healthy.

"I was severely afflicted with scrofula, and over a year had two running sores on my neck. Took five bottles Hood's Sarsaparilla, and am cured." C. E. LOVEJOY, Lowell, Mass.

C. A. Arnold, Arnold, Me., had scrofulous sores for seven years, spring and fall. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured him.

Salt Rheum

Is one of the most disagreeable diseases caused by impure blood. It is readily cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier.

William Spies, Elyria, O., suffered greatly from erysipelas and salt rheum, caused by handling tobacco. At times his hands would crack open and bleed. He tried various preparations without aid; finally took Hood's Sarsaparilla, and now says: "I am entirely well."

"My son had salt rheum on his hands and on the calves of his legs. He took Hood's Sarsaparilla and is entirely cured." J. B. STANTON, Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

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One of the saddest accidents we have to chronicle is the death of little Willie Bowles, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Bowles. He was at his grand parents while his mother was on a visit to her sister at Truckee. He was missed about 5 P. M. and when supper-time came he was still gone. Search for him began in earnest. He was finally found drowned in the creek near Whitney's warehouse. His little feet had endeavered to cross a plank from which he must have fallen. The hands were seen above the water, and when he was extricated from the mud life was extinct.—Petaluma Imprint.

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When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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A Common Cold

Is often the beginning of serious affections of the Throat, Bronchial Tubes, and Lungs. Therefore, the importance of early and effective treatment cannot be overestimated. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral may always be relied upon for the speedy cure of a Cold or Cough.

Last January I was attacked with a severe Cold, which, by neglect and frequent exposures, became worse, finally settling on my lungs. A terrible cough soon followed, accompanied by pains in the chest, from which I suffered intensely. After trying various remedies, without obtaining relief, I commenced taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and was

Speedily Cured.

I am satisfied that this remedy saved my life.—Jno. Webster, Pawtucket, R. I.

I contracted a severe cold, which suddenly developed into Pneumonia, presenting dangerous and obstinate symptoms. My physician ordered the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. His instructions were followed, and the result was a rapid and permanent cure.—H. E. Stimpson, Rogers Prairie, Tex.

Two years ago I suffered from a severe Cold, which settled on my Lungs. I consulted various physicians, and took the medicines they prescribed, but received only temporary relief. A friend induced me to try Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. After taking two bottles of this medicine I was cured. Since then I have given the Pectoral to my children, and consider it

The Best Remedy

for Colds, Coughs, and all Throat and Lung diseases, ever used in my family.—Robert Vanderpool, Meadville, Pa.

Some time ago I took a slight Cold, which, being neglected, grew worse, and settled on my Lungs. I had a hacking cough, and was very weak. Those who knew me best considered my life to be in great danger. I continued to suffer until I commenced using Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Less than one bottle of this valuable medicine cured me, and I feel that I owe the preservation of my life to its curative powers.—Mrs. Ann Lockwood, Akron, New York.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is considered, here, the one great remedy for all diseases of the throat and lungs, and is more in demand than any other medicine of its class.—J. F. Roberts, Magnolia, Ark. ††

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HATS—Young Mens' Black Soft Felt, in all shapes, $1.50 to $3.00.
HATS—Young Mens' Nutria Soft Felt, in all shapes, $1.50 to $2.50.
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SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE.
SATURDAY, MARCH 19, 1887.

CAT-ASTROPHE.

The cat stood on the freezing fence,
Where he for fun had fled:
At midnight prompt did he commence
To paint the back yard red.

There demon-like and black he screamed
As bound to foot the storm
Of missiles which from windows streamed
Straight at his fur off form.

Bootjacks rolled on. He would not go
Without Mariar's word;
Mariar in the kitchen low,
His yowls no longer heard.

"Maria," Mr. Thomas cried,
"Maria, must you stay?"
And but the booming boots replied
That fast were thrown away.

Then came a gun-shot's thunder sound:
The cat—oh, where was he?
Ask of his fragments strewn around
In that cat-astrophe.

With bootjacks, bricks and many a swear
The sleepers did their part,
But the noblest thing which perished there
Was that old cat so smart.

—Chicago Sun.

TEXAS CATTLE.

The Pioneer Days of Stock-Raising in Texas.

[Overland Monthly.]

Stock-raising in the West began to be a business about the close of the Civil War, when meat as well as other kinds of food rose even in the Northern States to hitherto unknown prices. Texas at that time was almost a wilderness known to the outer world chiefly as a refuge for outlaws, who, flying from justice and disguised by aliases, false beards and quaint costumes, wandered hither and thither over the unsettled country. The Mexican ranchers owned immense herds of semi-wild cattle of inferior breed, whose wild eyes and cruel horns were in keeping with their forbidding, raw-boned aspect and fierce tempers. These, roaming over the prairies in herds of from fifty to one hundred thousand, were of little value to their owners in the absence of any market. When beef began to be scarce at the North, a few Government contractors drove some small bunches of cattle from Texas over the weary trail, which has since become historic, for the use of the Northern armies. In those days steers could be bought for six dollars, and sold at the end of their two or three months' journey for thirty-five. The profits were enormous: the secret leaked out; men with larger capital and unfettered by Government contracts started in, and until the easy-going Texan rancheros discovered the experiment that was being made, and cut things finer, capital was doubled and quadrupled in two to four months. Great numbers of Eastern speculators engaged in stock-driving; competition decreased the profits, first to 100 per cent. then lower, until in the eyes of the men who first started, the business was played out.

His Life Had Been Wasted.

An old soldier lay dying in a little town in Pennsylvania one day last week. "Is there anything on your mind that troubles you?" asked his pastor, as an expression of grave concern passed over the veteran's face. "Yes, said the dying man, "there is. I have not made use of my opportunities. I was in the war about four years, in many battles, and thought I tried to do my duty. But I never picked up a lighted shell, with its burning fuse sputtering close to the shell, and threw it over the parapet of the fort. I have been a regular attendant upon army reunions, and I have read the newspapers since the war, and find that I am the only man in the Union army who has not performed that feat, although I have had plenty of opportunities. My life has been wasted." "But why," asked the pastor, kindly, "did you not do it when you had the opportunity?" "Because," said the gallant old soldier, I wanted to save the shell. I always knelt down and pulled the fuse out with my teeth." And then the noble life went out with a snap like a friction primer.

In view of a threatened epidemic of coughs like that of a year ago in Philadelphia, the Health Commissioner of Maryland officially recommends Red Star Cough Cure for throat troubles, as being free from opiates, safe and sure, and having none of the harmful features of other cough mixtures. Only 25 cents.

A Plucky Widow.

Three years ago John Lute secured a claim in Sargent county, Dakota, and two years after died. The widow was left with the claim, a cabin, and five children under ten years of age, and with her own hands she is making a living for them off the land. One of the coldest days recently she went alone three miles to haul a load of straw for her stock. On the way the load upset, and she reloaded, with the thermometer 25 degrees below zero.

Musical advice for a slippery day—See sharp or you will soon be flat.

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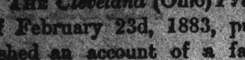
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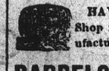
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It is therefore ordered by the said Court that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before the said Superior Court on MONDAY, the 15th day of March, 1887, at 10 o'clock, A. M., of said day, at the Court-room of said Superior Court, at the Court House, in the city of Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma, State of California, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said Administratrix, Maggie McDonell, to sell so much of the real estate of the said deceased, R. A. McDONELL, as shall be necessary as prayed for.
And that a copy of this order be published at least once a week for four successive weeks in THE SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE, a newspaper printed and published in said Sonoma county.
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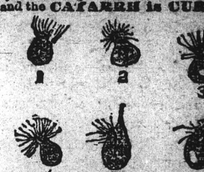
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